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FM AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 0103

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CDES, AR (JOHNSON, JANET)

SUBJ: DISCOVERY OF JANET JOHNSON'S BODY

1. ACCORDING TO MENDOZA SOURCES, OFFICIALS THERE ARE ABOUT TO MOUNT AN EXPEDITION TO RETRIVE JANET JOHNSONS BODY.

2. OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT REMAINS WILL BE BROUGHT TO TOWN OF PUENTE DEL INCA WHERE AUTOPSY WILL BE PERFORMED. BURIAL IN PUENTE DEL INCA MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS CEMETERY CAN BE AFFECTED WITHOUT CHARGE AFTER AUTOPSY.

3. ALTERNATIVE WOULD BE TO RETURN BODY TO CITY OF MENDOZA AFTER AUTOPSY WITH VIEW TOWARD DELIVERING IT TO BUENOS AIRES AND STATES. COST IS ESTIMATED AT FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS TO GET BODY TO MENDOZA PLUS ADDITIONAL TWELVE HUNDRED TO SEND REMAINS TO STATES.

4. IN DIRECT RELAY TELEGRAM SENT TO JOHNSONS MOTHER ON FEB 13 EMBASSY REQUESTED LATEST DESIRES OF FAMILY WITH REGARD DISPOSITION OF REMAINS. TO DATE NO REPLY HAS BEEN RECEIVED.

5. ALTHOUGH STATE 231631 OF 26 NOV 73 INDICATES DESIRE OF MOTHER IS TO HAVE REMAINS BURIED IN LOCAL CEMETERY, EMBASSY BELIEVES IT PRUDENT TO CONFIRM THIS BEFORE EXPEDITION SETS OUT. IF MOTHER BY ANY CHANCE NOW WISHES BODY RETURNED TO USA, ARRANGEMENTS SHOULD BE MADE TO FORWARD SEVENTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS TO EMBASSY SOONEST.

6. REQUEST DEPT CONFIRM DESIRES OF FAMILY CONCERNING DISPOSITON  
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OF REMAINS AND INFORM EMBASSY BY COB MONDAY MAR 3. EXPEDITION

LEADERS NEED TO KNOW FINAL DISPOSTION OF REMAINS BEFORE SETTING  
OUT. DELAY OF MUCH MORE THAN THAT COULD CAUSE EXPEDITION TO DELAY  
UNTIL NEXT SUMMER, I.E. NOVEMBER OR DECEMBER OF THIS YEAR.  
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